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GIRLS FROM EVERY COUNTRY AT CHURCH

WILL DEPICT LIFE OF FOREIGN LANDS FOR BAPTIST VISITORS.

MISS CAREY WILL READ

22 Young Women Will Take Part—Mrs. Arch Carter to Sing—Follows Banquet.

Girls from Japan, girls form India, girls from the countries of South America, in fact, girls from almost every country in the world will be at the First Baptist church at 8 o'clock Thursday night. Costumed in native garments they will give glimpses of the girl life in these countries with which we are not so familiar. The occasion of this visit is the meeting of the women's missionary society at the First Baptist church Today, Thursday and Friday.

The appearance of these girls is under the direction of Miss Eva Davis. Miss Davis will be assisted by Mrs. Harry Miller, assistant director; Mrs. J. D. England, costumes; Mrs. D. D. Miller, stage and decorations.

During the presentation of "Girlhood of Many Lands," Miss Jennie Carey will read. Those who will take the parts in the pageant are as follows: Misses Helen Tebow, Naoma England, Dorothy England, Lillias New, Marian Gann, Beatrice Hawkins, Esther Wells, Mildred New, Neva Ross, Lorene White, Alice Miller, Esther Gile, Vera Dorman, Doris Walker, Loretta Jones, Rebecca Briggs, Lola Gage, Katherine Wallace, Pauline Bliss, Josephine Miller.

Mrs. Arch Carter will sing during the pageant "Japanese Maiden." "There Little Girl Don't Cry." "I Think When I Read That Sweet Story of Old." "In The Cross of Christ I Glory." Two little negro girls will sing "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny."

The last scene of the pageant will depict American girlhood "America" and "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" will be played at this time.

This "Girlhood in Many Lands" will be open to the public. The banquet, which precedes, however, will be only for the delegates. It will be served in the basement of the church by the women of the First Baptist church. At the short program, which will be given Miss Aretta Beswick will act as toastmistress. The Following toasts will be given.

The Gardner—Miss Louise Tucker, Louisville, Ky.

The Garden Tools—Mrs. H. R. Steding, Kansas City.

The Garden Seed—Miss Beulah Townsend, Savannah.

The Garden Soil—Miss Eloise Wine, Tarkio.

The Garden Hose—Miss Mabel Raines, Maryville.

The Ripening Fruit—Miss Jessie Burrall, Columbia.

Pageant, "Girlhood in Many Lands," Maryville Young Women.

The Y. W. A. hymn "O, Zion Haste" will be pantomined by the following girls: Missis Gladys Allen, Viva Cloud Daisy Allen, Dorothy White, Ruth England, Mrs. Wilfred White, Mrs. Samuel Bithos. Mrs. Arch Carter will sing accompanied by Mrs. Harry Miller.

RELATIONS ARE NEAR THE BREAKING POINT

Panama Flatly Refused To Comply With This Government Demand On White Award

Washington, April 13,—Relations between America and the Republic of Panama were brought to a breaking point today when the Porras government of the little republic flatly refused to comply with this government's virtual demand that Panama accept the White award as a basis of settlement of her boundary disputes with Costa Rica. A note from the Panamanian government was received today, the state department advised.

One of the Speakers at Baptist Missionary Meeting

MISS JESSIE BURRALL, Stephens College, Columbia.

PRESIDENT OF THE DISTRICT

MISS ARRETA BESWICK of Kansas City, a speaker at the Baptist Missionary meeting.

PLOT TO ASSASINATE CHARLES OF AUSTRIA NIPPED IN BUD

Alleged Conspiracy Was Revealed To Police By Private Detectives Several Arrested

Paris April 13,—A plot to assasinate Emperor Charles, Austrian has been nipped in the bud at Lucerine where he now resides, said reports received today. The alleged conspiracy was revealed to the police by private detectives. Several foreigners equipped with passports were arrested. They had grenades in their pockets.

THIRD REGIMENT ENTRAINED FOR BUTLER THIS MORNING

Will Form Part Military Guard Of Honor for Funeral Gen. Harvey Clark.

Kansas City, April 13,—The third regiment, national guards of Missouri entrained early today for Butler where it will form part of the military guard of honor for the funeral of General Horvey Clark, who died Monday in St. Louis. The services were at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

RESIDENT OF COUNTY FOR FIFTY YEARS, DIES

Mrs. Amelia Westfall Dies at 3 o'Clock This Morning at Home Near Graham.

Mrs. Amelia Westfall, 78 years of age, and a resident of Nodaway county for over fifty years, died at 3 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Alban, four and one-half miles southeast of Graham. Mrs. Westfall suffered a stroke of paralysis Saturday morning and her condition had been critical since that time.

Funeral services for Mrs. Westfall will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Graham North Methodist church conducted by Rev. Feldman of Oregon. Burial will be in the Graham cemetery.

Mrs. Westfall was born in the year of 1843, near Berlin, Germany. She came to the United States with her parents when twelve years of age, the family first residing in Wisconsin. Her marriage to Mr. Westfall who died in 1899, occurred in 1861. They came to Nodaway county and made their home on a farm near Graham.

Mrs. Westfall is survived by three children, Mrs. George Alban of Graham, Mrs. Henry Bond of Council Bluffs, and Henry E. Westfall of Skidmore. She is also survived by three brothers, William and August Stark, both of Mukwonago, Wis., Harmon Stark of Los Angeles, Cal., and one sister, Mrs. Freida Hammond of Mukwonago.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE O[illegible]DERS STRIKE THIS MORNING

Rioting At Thornton Junction Lasted 4 Hours—Railway Managers Predict No Strike.

London, April 13,—"The situation is one of great and increasing gravity but I hope that wiser councils may yet prevail," said Premier Lloyd George in opening the House of Commons this afternoon. The house immediately launched into a debate on the decision of the triple alliance to call a general strike late Friday.

London, April 2,—The triple alliance has ordered the members to go on a strike at 10 o'clock Friday night. The rioting today at Thornton Junction lasted for four hours. Twenty-one arrests were made. The strike orders issued to railway men and transport workers to walk out at the appointed time to support the miners, who have rejected the settlement basis offered by the government and mine owners. The railway managers predict no strike. The new breakdown in negotiations has resulted in revival of violence in the coal fields.

Miss Leona Jones was operated upon this morning at the St. Francis hospital for appendicitis. Her condition this afternoon was good.

3 NEW DIRECTORS ELECTED TO C. OF C.

FRED CURFMAN, PAUL SISSON, JAMES TODD CHOSEN TO SERVE

BANQUET HUGE SUCCESS

Pickens Tells Of Year's Work In Pictures—John Guild Makes Address

At the Chamber of Commerce banquet at the State Teachers' College last night three new directors, Fred Curfman, James Todd and Paul Sisson were elected to serve for three years succeeding George Wilfley, C. F. Remus and Ed Curfman.

300 Hundred In Attendance

More than 300 persons attended the banquet and annual meeting, which was presided over by George Wilfley, president of the organization. During the evening he presented the speakers. First came Fred R. Wolfers, who paid a tribute to the retiring members of the board. The first board of directors the present board of directors, the past presidents and all who have served the Chamber of Commerce as directors were introduced to the guests.

Y. W. C. A. Serves Dinner

The dinner, which was prepared under the direction of the Y. W. C. A. of the college was served by them beautifully and quickly. The tables were attractively decorated in green and white while pink and white tulips centered the tables.

A Potted Plant Was Presented Each Woman Present

After the dinner and business sessions the guests adjourned to the auditorium where George Pickens, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, made his report in pictures. The activities of the year as well as enterprises which it has encouraged were shown.

Film Opens With "Extra"

The film opened with an "Extra" announcing the arrival of John Guild, executive secretary of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, who was the guest of the evening and who made the principal address.

Several scenes showed the roads about Maryville and how they have been improved and kept in good condition through the Chamber of Commerce. The $1500 tractor and drag to drag the city streets and roads near by was shown in action with George Pickens at the wheel. Besides buying this tractor the Chamber raised $2000 to operate it in the township and city.

Water Plant

The evolution of the water plant, which is perhaps the most important improvement that has come to Maryville in the last two years, was pictured in detail. The trials and difficulties that beset the officials before the new system was installed, as well as, the modern plant, which now exists, were made real to many, who had only heard of it. The new reservoir has a capacity of 4,000,000 gallons. The water is clear and usable and has helped to decrease the insurance rates of the city. The 360,000 gallons reservoir throws 600 gallons per minute.

The Chamber of Commerce has assisted in the following bond issues: $5,000 for street lighting; $50,000,000 for the city water plant; $5,000 for the negro school; $75,000 for the high school addition, which is to be built this spring.

Kutschinski

When the smiling countenance of C. D. Kutschinski was thrown on the screen it brought a round of applause, the guests evidently approving of the money appropriated by the Chamber of Commerce to foster the band organization in Maryville. That Maryville has a good band was not only impressed upon the guests visually last night but in reality as well. Throughout the evening the orchestra gave popular and standard selections. The quartette sang several times during dinner also.

The better Bulls sale last Saturday came in for its share of attention. Scrub bulls and pure bred bulls were shown on sale and on the farme of Nodaway County.

College Scenes.

The activities of the short course in the summer at the State Teachers College where vitalized agriculture is taught was shown to those who for the most part have known of it only in name. Women and girls actually learning to hammer nails without cracking their toes and saw boards straight were

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SMALL TOWN NEEDS LIVE C. OF C.

MOST PROGRESSIVE CITIES ARE THOSE WITH SUCH

GOOD LEADERSHIP FACTOR

Individual Thought All Right—But When It Comes To Action Collective Body Needed

John M. Guild talked on the general work of Chambers of Commerce, at the C. of C. meeting last night. Mr. Guild is executive secretary of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce. He said in part:

"The importance of a small town having a live organization like the Maryville Chamber of Commerce is equal to that of St. Louis, Chicago or Kansas City. The towns that show the progress and best growth are those that have exercised the greatest enterprise in a collective way through some form of a business organization.

"In the first place the idea should be capitalized that people will work and be helpful only to the extent that they are interested. An analysis of how this may be done will serve as the basis for any later discussion, and for best treatment has been divided into five general heads—education, leadership, independence, accomplishment and and confidence—results being interwoven all the way through as proof of the formula.

Education.

"The work of a civic or commercial organization is primarily educational. We have no laws wherewith to enforce the carrying out of any of our purpuposes, and seldom the money to actually finance them. We must therefore, generate an idea, prove its worth, promote it, and get others to carry it out, no matter if it may mean expenditure of time, effort and money on their part.

"We should not forget that public opinion is the strong factor in public affairs and if an organiztion would reach full success it should unite all possible forces and endeavor to educate all of the people.

"The membership must be given every opportunity to become familiar with the working parts of the organization. The greatest criticisms toward the average chamber of commerce come from the members or those on the outside who know least about it. The membership and the public must be made to understand that it is their organization, their responsibility, not

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SWINEHART TO LECTURE ON BIBLE LITERATURE

H. P. Swinehart of State Teachers College Will Talk at Presbyterian Church Night Service.

H. P. Swinehart of the English department of the State Teachers College will give a lecture tonight at the church night service of the First Presbyterian church. Mr. Swinehart's subject will be, "The Literature of the Bible." This lecture was given at the State Teachers College some time ago and received much favorable comment. The service will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. Swinehart will leave Maryville May 1, to become associated with the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company of Kansas City and the lecture tonight will possibly be his last appearance before a Maryville audience.

ALBANY BUSINESS MEN ATTENDED THE BANQUET

A party composed of Dale S. Flowers, cashier of the Gentry County Bank of Albany, his son, Cleo Flowers, secretary of the Albany Chamber of Commerce, and A. B. Price of that town, attended the annual banquet of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce at the State Teachers College last evening. Mr. Price is the father of Loren Price, a member of the Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Company.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
SETH RAY DAVID POST NO. 442

Will meet Friday evening, April 15, at 7:30 o'clock at the club rooms for the purpose of electing officers. All charter members are urged to be present.

GREEK ASSEMBLY DECLARES STATE IN SIEGE TODAY

Situation In That Country Has Been Critical Since Defeat By Turkish Troops.

London April 13,—The Greek assembly today adopted resolutions declaring the state in siege in Athens, said a dispatch from the Greek capital today.

The internal situation in Greece has been critical ever since the crushing defeat administered by the Turks, several days ago. The throne of King Constintince is said to be tottering again. Fresh reserves are being recruited daily to prepare for another offensive against the National forces.

BERT COOPER TO ATIEND JEFFERSON CITY MEETING

Governor Arthur Hyde To Speek—At Gathering County Superintendents.

Bert Cooper, superintendent of school will attend the meeting of county superintendents at Jefferson City April 25 to 29. Governor Arthur Hyde will make an address on Tuesday afternoon. Sam Baker, superintendent of schools will talk Monday forenoon while Tuesday Jesse Barrett, attorney general will speak. President E. L. Hendricks of the State Teachers College at Warrensburg will make an address one day.

R. P. HOSMER ELECTED PRESIDENT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Pictures Will be Shown at Electric and Empire Theaters Saturday Night—Myrtle Tree Thurs.

R. P. Hosmer was elected president of the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the board of directors held this morning. Earl A. Barmann was selected as first vice-president, F. S. King as second vice-president, R. B. Montgomery as treasurer, and George A. Pickens as secretary.

The moving picture of scenes in Nodaway county which was shown for the first time last night at the State Teachers College will be displayed at

R. P. HOSMER.

both the Empire and Electric theaters of this city Saturday night with their regular shows. This picture is also to be shown at Myrtle Tree church on Thursday night, Glendale schoolhouse on Friday night, and at assembly at the State Teachers College Tuesday morning. Secretary George A. Pickens will take the picture to the state meeting of the secretaries of Chamber of Commerce to be held in Columbia on April 22.

The board of directors adopted a vote of thanks to F. R. Marcell for making the film. Mr. Marcell spent much time on it and everyone who saw it last night thought it was fine.

BANGS FUNERAL SERVICES TO BE HELD TOMORROW

Funeral services for Joseph Bangs who died Monday morning at his home in Elmo, will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Elmo Christian church conducted by Rev. Hugh McClellan. Burial will be in a Braddyville, Ia. cemetery.

Defeats Earl Caddock.

Des Moines, Ia., April 12,—"Strangler" Lewis defeated Earl Caddock former title holder, in two straight falls, using the head lock both times.

BONAR CASES WERE SETTLED TODAY

SUITS ORIGINALLY FOR $5,000 SETTLED FOR $1,750.

JURY IS DISCHARGED

Drainage District Cases Set for eHaring Tomorrow and Friday Before the Court.

The cases of Arthur Bonar and his two sons, Paul and Robert Bonar, for $5,000 damages against the Wabash was settled in circuit court this afternoon when these cases were scheduled to be tried. The settlement was for $1,750. The two boys, Paul and Robert Bonar, were injured in an accident when the pony they were riding on their way to school was struck by a Wabash passenger train at a crossing in Dawson. Several witnesses from Elmo and Dawson came to Maryville today for these cases.

The petit jury was discharged until Monday, April 25 when the damage case of Evelyn Martin, by next friend, vs. Joseph J. Enis will be tried. Several other cases are to be tried that week.

The court will hear tomorrow the Mill Creek Drainage District for incorporation. This drainage district is located near Elmo. The Andrew-Nodaway Drainage District incorporation matter is set for April 16.

A motion for a new trial was filed in the case of Dave Farris against the city of Maryville.

KNOX RESOLUTION WAS INTRODUCED

Declares At An End Of War That Has Exsisted for Four Years

Washington, April 13,—Senator Philander Knox of Pensylvania today introduced in the senate his resolution declaring at an end the state of war that has exsisted four years between America and former Central powers. No declaration of American foreign policy was embodied in the resolution.

RAYMOND SHOOP INSPECTS 4 NODAWAY HIGH SCHOOLS

Quitman, Guilford, Conception Junction, Clearmont Given Credit for Work.

Raymond Shoop, high school inspector for the state was in Nodaway county inspecting high schools this week. Four were given credit. The Quitman high school of which W. I. Lewis is principal was given 12 units of credit. The $800 state aid, which has been withheld because the school had not been inspected, has been released. The Quitman school is doing three years of high school work.

The Guilford school of which J. M. Broadbent is principal was raised to a first class high school and will be exempt from the county unit law, according to Bert Cooper, superintendent of schools. The high school at Conception Junction of which Miss Leona Badger is principal was given credit for two year high school work or eight units. The Clearmont high school of which Leslie G. Somerville was principal, was given credit for 12 units.

4 PERSONS KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT.

Covington, Ky., April 13.—The Chesapeake and Ohio train hit an automobile at a grade crossing early today, killing four persons and injuring six others.

Returns From Buying Trip.

Miss Pearl Keiflein returned last night from a buying trip to Kansas City and St. Louis for her millinery shop which is located in the Eversole & Son store.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Showers tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW—DOUBLE FEATURE PROGRAM

Larry Semon in 'The Sportsman'

IT IS THE BEST OF ALL COMEDIES.

CORINNE GRIFFITH, in "It Isn't Being Done This Season."

Two Matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—11c and 22c.
Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

AND TOMORROW NIGHT

MAHLON HAMILTON

In, "HALF A CHANCE."

Also Sunshine comedy tonight and Pathe News tomorrow night.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

GRUNDY COUNTY IS AHEAD IN CONTEST

Kansas City C. C. Reports County Has Eliminated Most Scrubs According to Trenton Paper.

According the Trenton Republican, the Grundy County Farm Bureau leads in all the elimination of scrub bulls of the forty four counties entered in the contest to win the prize offered by the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce. The Trenton paper says:

So far 15 scrubs have been replaced and officially credited to this county. There are probably several others that have not been sent in.

The first prize offered by the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce is $1,000 and the second $500. Ralls county is second so far in the contest with 12 scrubs replaced. Johnson county has 8 replacements and Gentry county has 7 replaced.

Rules governing this contest require that the scrubs be replaced with a registered animal and the scrub be sold out of the county, killed or rendered invaluable for breeding purposes.

April and May will be hard months on the scrubs in the state because of the sales. Pettis county will sell 50 registered bulls at a sale; Nodaway has arranged for 6 sales, while Knox and Johnson will have sales. Mercer county to the north has advertised a Hereford sale for Thursday, which will be an opening for prospective buyers. The Breeders association of this county offered good terms to buyers, thus making possible the doubling the number of scrubs eliminated in the next month. There is no reason why, if stockmen will work, the to a fraction of what they are now. The value it will mean to the county is not to be calculated in one year or even two.

NEW DOG LAW IN MISSOURI.

State Legislature Passes Measure for Counties to Adopt.

The farmers of Nodaway county have quite a range of opinions as to the advisibility of the new Missouri Dog Law, which has passed the legislature as Bill No. 219. A majority of those questioned believe the law a good thing, but almost all find some objection to it.

The law, which is optional for adoption by each county, provides an annual tax of $1 on male dogs and $3 on female dogs. The funds, with the exception of 10 cents to the county clerk, go to the roaddragging fund, to be used on roads receiving neither state or federal aid. The purpose of the law is to reduce the number of worthless curs and at the same time to promote and protect the sheep industry.

Most of the farmers who were questioned do not believe the law would pass, although they think it worth while piece of legislation. Some say the people would prefer to vote it down rather than pay the tax. Others say that it would not be enforced, and therefore only some would pay the tax, while many would not. The majority of the farmers do not think any of the funds would reach the roads. One man who had graded roads was radically opposed to the bill. He said that the road graft was bad enough now, and that it was a scheme for more money.

Practically all farmers think it worth while to reduce the number of dogs on the farm as well as in the city.

Car of Franklin County special cook stove coal, just set. J. H. Gray Fuel Company. 12-13

For Sale Cheap

Four room house, water and lights, located on good lot, 1 block south of west end of Hospital. Large barn with enough good material in it to add two more rooms if desired.

ED BREWER
at Maco Print Shop.

Some High Lights from the President's Message

Washington, D. C., April 12.—The recommendations in the message personally read at a joint session of the special session of congress by President Harding today were:

Foreign relations: No separate peace with Germany "on the assumption alone that this would be adequate." "The wiser course would seem to be * * * to engage under the existing treaty, assuming, of course that this can be satisfactorily accomplished, by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom of inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests. * * * No helpful society of nations can be founded on justice and committed to peace until the covenants re-establishing peace are sealed by the nations which were at war."

Taxation: Readjustment of internal taxes and revision or repeal "of those taxes which have become unproductive and are so artificial and burdensome as to defeat their own purpose."

Tariff: Instant tariff enactment, "emergency in character and understood by our people that it is for the emergency only."

Railroads: Efficient operation "at a cost within that which the traffic can bear. . . . . Railway rates and costs of operation must be reduced." . . . "The remaining obstacles, which are the heritage of capitalistic exploitation, must be removed and labor must join management in understanding that the public which pays is the public to be served, and simple justice is the right and will continue to be the right of all the people."

For Relief of Service Men.

Service men: "The American people expect congress unfailingly to voice the gratitude of the republic in a generous and practical way to its defenders in the world war." The immediate extension and utilization of government hospital facilities to "bring relief to the acute conditions most complained of."

Public welfare: Co-ordination of various government agencies now working on the subject and endorsement of the pending maternity bill.

Lynching: "Congress ought to wipe the stain of barbaric lynching from the banners of a free and orderly representative democracy. A proposal for a commission with representatives of white and black races to study and report on the subject," the president said, "has real merit."

Good roads: "The strengthening of laws governing federal aid.

Merchant marine: "The United states means to establish and maintain a great merchant marine."

Communications: "Private monopolies tending to prevent the development of needed facilities should be prohibited. Government owned facilities wherever possible without unduly interefring with private enterprise or government needs, should be made available for general usages."

Avation: Regulation by the federal government and encouragement of aviation for development for military and civil purposes.

For Disarmament by Convention

Army and navy: Early consideration of pending appropriation bills was urged. "The government is in accord with the wish to eliminate the burdens of heavy armament," said the president. "The United States will ever be in harmony with such a movement toward the higher attainments of peace. But we shall not entirely discard our agencies for defense until there is removed the need to defend. We are ready to cooperate with other nations to approximate disarmament, but merest prudence forbids that we disarm alone."

National finance: "The staggering load of war debt must be cared for in orderly funding and gradual liquidation. We shall hasten the solution and aid effectively in lifting the tax burden if we strike resolutely at expenditure."

Administration: Enactment of a national budget system and general reductions by efficient management of the cost of government.

"Less Government in Business."

Business: "Less of government in business, as well as more business in government." "There is no challenge to honest and lawful business success. But government approval of fortunate, untrammeled business does not mean toleration of restraint of trade or of maintained prices by unnatural methods. Anxious as we are to restore the onward flow of business it is fair to combine assurance and warning in one utterance."

Agriculture: The maintained retail costs in perishable foods cannot be justified. Reduced costs of basic production has been recorded but high cost of living has not yellded in like proportion. Without the spirit of hostility or haste in accusation of profiteering some suitable inquiry by congress might speed the price readjustment to normal relationship, with helpfulness to both producer and consumer. A measuring rod of fair prices will satisfy the country and give us a business revival to end all depression and unemployment."

GIRLS "M" CLUB TO ENTERTAIN BASKETBALL CONTESTANTS

Will Give Banquet Friday Evening—Meet Held To Determine Championship

The girls "M" club of the State Teachers College will entertain the girls entered for the basketball tournament at the college April 15 and 16 at a banquet Friday evening. Miss Mary Mac Leod, instructor in physical educaton and Hettie M. Anthony, instructor in Home Economics will assist the girls in the banquet arrangements.

The tournament has been arranged for the high schools in this district in order to determine which team shall be awarded the championship. It is under the auspices of the college and is the first year that it has ever been held.

The "M" club which will entertain with the banquet is similar to the "M" club for the boys. Its members are those who have won honors in student activities. The organization is to create good feeling among the students; arouse interest in student activities; and interest high school girl graduates of the district in the State Teachers College here.

DR. W. F. BURRIS TO ATTEND LONDON MEET

Dr. W. F. Burris, formerly of Maryville now superintendent of the Ensworth Hospital at St. Joseph, has been appointed a representative to the Ecumenical conference, which will be held in London beginning Sept. 6. Methodists from all over the world attend this conference, which is held every ten years to discuss vital problems and to cultivate a better understanding of world-wide conditions. The total membership of the conference is 550.

Doctor Burris was nominated by Bishop William A. Quayle of St. Louis, and his selection was approved by the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He is one of the two men selected from the middle West.

To Attend Presbytery

Roy Curtman went to St. Joseph this morning to attend the St. Joseph Presbytery which is being held there three days this week.

USE MACHINE GUNS TO REPULSE ATTACK

Cork, April 13.—The government guards used machine guns today to repulse a violent attack of Sinn Feiners on the West wing of Cork prison.

HARDING APPROVED PROMOTION PLANS OF SECRETARY WEEKS.

Washington, April 13.—Harding today approved the recommendations of Secretary of War Weeks for promotion of 14 brigadier generals to the rank of major general and 22 colonels to brigadier generals.

DREW ON HIS IMAGINATION

To Put It Mildly, Longfellow was Not Always Accurate in His Descriptive Poems.

The poet Longfellow has set an example of inaccuracy in dealing with our Pilgrim ancestors which has been widely followed. His charming poem, "The Courtship of Myles Standish," has been read by millions of his countrymen and doubtless accepted by great numbers as gospel truth. Yet it has no historical basis, says a writer in the Boston Transcript. There is not a scintilla of evidence that the fearless captain, who was small of stature and red-haired, but every inch a soldier—had any desire to win the affections of Priscilla Mullins. He was a very busy man during the first years at Plymouth. And, but for his wisdom, skill and heroic actions, there is little doubt but what they would have all been murdered by wild savages, who were not wholly restrained by Massasoit. It seems too bad that so brave and unselfish a man as Standish was should now be paraded before his descendants as a rejected suitor. He and they deserve a better fate.

The poet is no more accurate in dealing with him than he is in describing the marriage of John Alden and Priscilla. What a pretty bit of fiction it was to place Priscilla on a "milk-white steer," when there was not a cow, nor a steer, in all New England!

Brookfield Visitor.

F. F. Faut left this morning for his home at Brookfield, Mo., after visiting in Maryville at the home of Miss Jennie Evans.

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USED SNAKES TO ROUT FOE

Hannibal on Record as Having Played Mean Trick on King Eumenes of Pergamus.

When Hannibal was about to be attacked by King Eumenes of Pergamus at sea, that crafty person decided that in a fair fight the king would win. The enemy had more ships and more men, and Hannibal and all his followers would be at the bottom of the sea if any attempt were made by him to engage the vessels of the king as individual units. Hannibal therefore gave out word that all his ships were to join in an attack on the ship carrying the king, on the theory that without a leader the enemy would soon be demoralized. To find out what ship the king was on he sent a messenger just before the battle with a tablet to the enemy's fleet. The messenger was directed to the ship bearing Eumenes, and all of Hannibal's fleet had merely to watch the little boat to identify the king's vessel.

When the battle began Hannibal's boat rushed to the side of Eumenes' ship, and the former's sailors began to hurl great earthenware pots into the king's boat. The defenders of the ship at first laughed at this queer method of warfare, but their laughter promptly changed to howls of terror when it was discovered that the pots were filled with poisonous snakes of the most deadly variety. The ship turned and fled for shore, its decks alive with the hissing, gliding snakes. The other ships also treated to snake bombs followed suit, and Hannibal was the victor.

FRUGALITY DECREED BY LAW

Early French Monarch Must Have Been Unpopular with the Fair Sex in His Dominions.

In the reign of Philip the Fair of France (1294) an economy wave spread throughout the country. This movement was largely influenced by the extravagance of the higherups as well as the mounting costs of living, which seemed to embarrass the poor folk in those days as much as it does at the present time.

In order to curb this extravagance a statute was passed during Philip's reign which prohibited common citizens from wearing furs, precious stones or gold. This privilege was bestowed only upon those who could afford it, such as dukes, counts and barons, whose annual income amounted to 6,000 livres a year. At the same time, ladies of this rank were restricted to one single gown each year.

Knights whose incomes exceeded 3,000 livres per annum were permitted to have more than two suits each year either by gift or purchase. If his income was less than this he would be compelled to appear before the magistrate and explain his extravagance.

Port Tobacco Passes.

Gone is the ancient town of Port Tobacco—Portobacko of the eighteenth century—the "metropolis" of Charles in the days of auld lang syne. The pioneers who sailed up the Potomac founded it on an estuary of the noble river, and its fame as a shipping point for the colonists once extended across the Atlantic. Three or four decades ago the last "courthouse fight" in Maryland centered around Port Tobacco. Its water transportation dwindled, and the building of the Pope's Creek railroad like from Bowie to the Potomac gave the Charles countians a new outlook. Many of them picked La Plata station for a county seat, owing to its central location and daily trains. The old courthouse at Port Tobacco was burned down and the voters declared for the building of a new one at La Plata.—Baltimore News.

Had Large Sum on Hand.

History relates that Croesus was given entertainment on one occasion by a Lydian named Pythius, supposed to have been a distant relative of Croesus. During the entertainment Pythius informed the king that when he heard of his approach he had made careful count of all his ready money that he had on hand in gold and silver, $24,000,000, and that he wished to present it to the king as a token of regard.

The king hesitated about taking his money lest Pythius might be reduced to want, but Pythius replied: "My lands, estates, slaves and income-bearing property are still untouched." This sum of money was simply cash on hand which he had not yet invested. At the rate of 10 to 1 in modern purchasing power, Pythius had ready money equaling $240,000,000.

Concerning Proverbs.

A proverb is seen at its best when it is not over-familiar to us. Then we can enjoy the sudden salt flavor of cynicism, the searching irony that made Bacon describe proverbs as "edge tools of speech, which cut and penetrate the knots of business of affairs."

France, as might be expected, is rich in the edge-tool variety of proverb—though the edge, naturally, suffers in translation. "He that cannot pay let him pay." "The nearer the church, the farther from God." Spain has proverbs, with a smoothness, a characteristic blandness in place of the sharp French rapier thrust. "Let that which is lost be for God." "A fool, unless he knows Latin is never a great fool."—V. H. Friedlaender, in Country Life.

HIS FIRST CLIENT

By LILLIAN P. LEONARD.

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"Cheero, old dear!"

"Whereya get that stuff, 'cheero'?"

"Cheer up! Look at the sun shining and—"

"Little birdies singing 'tweet, tweet,' I suppose!" growled Ross in a tone of utter disgust. Bringing his feet down from the window sill with a bang and rising with a huge yawn he stretched his already long arms to their utmost.

As he stood in this position he looked like some colossal figure supplicating the cosmic powers, his mouth wide in invocation. So thought the apparition as she opened the door and stood hesitating on the threshold! Ross, crimson, brought himself into shape, while the man opposite slid the cuspidor under the desk with his foot.

For the girl in the doorway was the first human being, other than themselves, who had opened that door; that door lettered with ornate gilt lettering:

Ross Adams
Henry Denson
Real Estate, Mortgages,
Justice of the Peace Notary Public
WALK IN.

The girl stepped into the room and took the chair proffered by the momentarily flustered Ross, while Henry evaporated toward a door marked "private" in severely plain, black letters.

The usual light remarks had been made, and Ross, taking a gasping flyer into his first taste of business, asked:

"There is some matter I could assist you in, Miss?

"I came to see a justice of the peace," replied the girl, blushing vividly.

"Well, I am Ross Adams, justice of the peace."

The girl looked at the floor, bit her lip and stammered:

"You marry people?"

He took a grip on himself and answered airily:

"Oh, yes, to be sure, when everything appears all right and parties have the license."

"How many people have you married, Mr. Adams?"

"Why, er—er—hundreds—of course I never kept count."

"Oh, I am so sorry; I wanted to be the first. Will you marry me?"

"Yes, indeed. I shall be delighted," smiled Ross.

At this moment the door swung open and two men, heavily bearded, stalked into the room, and in military precision took a stand on each side of Ross, while in duet they chanted:

"We are witnesses to your promise to marry this young lady?

With a swift back-action swat, Ross cuffed the pseudo girl soundly across the cheek, while with lightning speed he clutched at the men's beards. They came forth in each hand, but there also came forth a startled yelp in an unmistakably feminine voice from the girl in the chair, and Ross was staring horrified at "Girlie" of college days in the face of one of the men he had denuded of a beard.

"Now, see here, 'Girlie,'" said Ross, "I always told you that no good ever came from practical joking. You have brought this upon yourselves. But," turning to the girl, who was crouched down in the chair with a hand held to a crimson cheek, "my deepest regrets to this young lady for my brutal act and my only hope is that she will forgive me. Who is she anyway?"

"Oh, that's only my kid sister and she don't mind a little crack like that! Ought to see her sometimes after she has put on the gloves with me!"

"Huh!" flashed the girl. "Mr. Ross, you should see him when I get through with him! He looks like a beef steak pie for a week after! But though I know that every tooth is knocked down my throat and that my jaw is fractured in a thousand pieces, I guess I'll forgive you this time."

"Gee!" mourned "Girlie," "went and messed up the whole show after our rehearsing for a week. But, see here, Ross, this is Jim Turner," motioning toward the other man who had leaped to to the side of the girl and was trying to comfort her in a most lover-like manner.

"All right," replied Ross, "and now, the why of all this fool farce?"

"Oh, Sis and Jim want to be married, that's all. Folks kicking up a rumpus, but Sis and I are strong for Jim, so go to it!"

Ross, from whom all timidity of "first business" had fled, took from his desk drawer the necessary book and calling in the grinning Henry as a witness joined the couple in marriage.

"Now," said Ross, "my privilege to kiss the bride shall be taken advantage of and may it in some measure erase the memory of the blow."

So Ross performed this ceremony, also, to everyone's satisfaction with the exception, possibly of the bridegroom's.

"The joke's on me, so it's my—" Ross put his hand into his pocket where reposed safe and sound just seven coppers, one dime and a pant's button.

"I should say not. It's our splurge," said "Girlie," pressing a fat roll into Ross' hand. "So, on with the feast!"

After this spectacular entry into the business world, Ross went surely and firmly upward in his practice and the day was not long in coming when the same group, with the addition of a certain girl, made up another wedding party.

WILL CHOOSE MEN FOR TRENTON TRACK MEET TODAY

Ziegler to Take 9 Contestants If He Goes at All—Simpson's Brother in 3 Events.

L. E. Ziegler, coach for track will choose his men for the Trenton track meet this afternoon. Ziegler entered 18 men but will take only 9, if he takes any. He has not made up his mind definitely as to just what the boys can do. The possibility of some of them taking part depends upon their grades. The Trenton Republican says:

Trenton will have an opportunity to see a fast track meet this year together with several phenominal athletes. Simpson, of Bosworth, brother of the famous Bob Simpson, the Missouri hurdler, is entered in eight events. Last year is practically certain to repeat the performance. With him comes Wagy, an athlete of no little prowess.

Lathrop has one lone entrant, a fast miler, while Green Castle has only one entered. Jamesport is coming strong with 17 men and Green City with 18. Maryville will be here with 17 men and Maysville with 16. Milan has entered 21 and St. Joe Central 6. LaPlata has 16 men entered and Marceline 13.

Bethany has entered 13; Cameron, 6; Carrollton, 12; Green Castle, 1; Knox City, 5; Laredo, 10; Newark, 12; Ridgeway, 13; Spickard, 3, and Trenton, 26.

Each school may enter four men in an event and run only two. Some of the men coming have records from last year and this meet will be one of speed.

ARREST B. W. LEMON ON CHARGE OF ASSAULT

Painter And Charles S. Ellis In Quarrell At St. Francis Hospital This Morning.

B. W. Lemon, the painter, was arrested today on complaint of Charles S. Ellis, on a charge of assault with intent to kill. Bail was fixed at $1,000 which was given and his preliminary was set for next Tuesday.

In his complaint, Ellis states that Lemon used a 2x4 of the length of 6 feet.

It is understood that Lemon and Ellis had their trouble at the St. Francis hospital. Ellis is employed by the Maryville Light Company. In the fight, Ellis sustained a broken arm.

FIRST CLASH RESULTED IN ROUTING CARRANZA TROOPS

Mexico City, April 13.—The first clash between Carranza troops led by Francisco Murgia and the federal troops in the state of Coahuila took place yesterday afternoon, the war department was advised today. The insurgents headed by Murgia was completely routed and fled to the hills.

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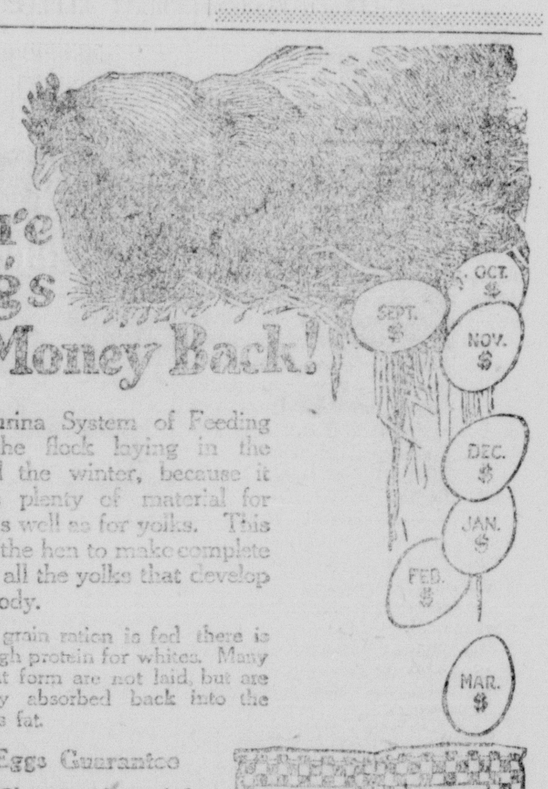

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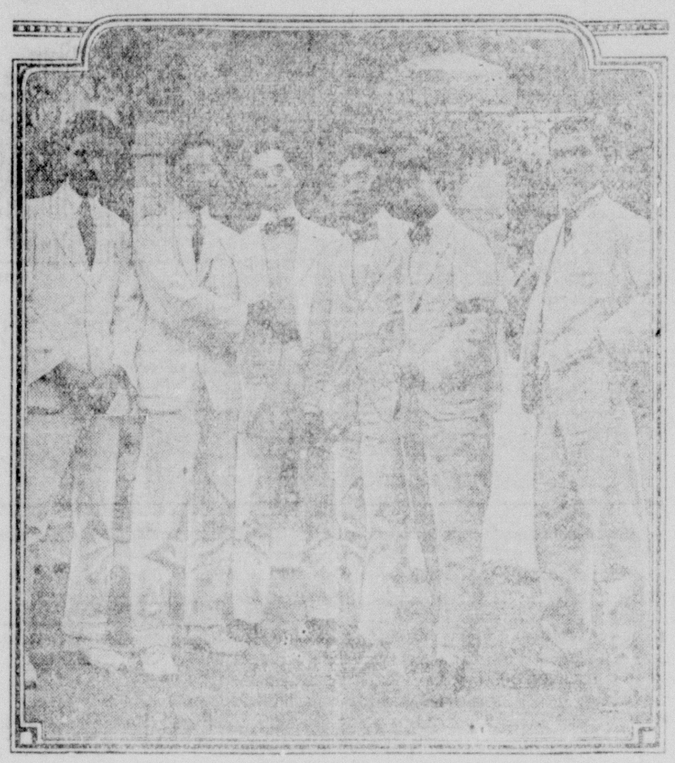


There are hundreds of thousands of this type of young men in the Philippines. They are to be the future rulers of the destinies of the islands.

The Filipino has been much misrepresented in the United States. This is largely because the Sunday supplements have made a specialty of portraying the semi-naked non-Christian hill tribes as "typical" Filipinos, which is far from the truth.

The total population of the Philippines is 10,350,640, of which 9,495,272 are Christians and civilized, and have been so for 300 years, possessing a culture and refinement that will compare favorably with that of other countries. The number of non-Christians is 855,368, and only a small percentage of them are uncivilized. They are fast becoming educated, and will ultimately make good citizens.

Seventy per cent of the inhabitants of the Philippines over ten years of age, according to the last census, are literate. This is a higher percentage of literacy than that of any South American country, higher than that of Spain, and higher than that of any of the New Republics of Europe whose independence is being guaranteed by the Allies.

Here's a Real Argument For Philippine Independence

A Typical Philippine Homestead

The United States isn't the only country that has homesteaders—those enterprising pioneers who leave thickly populated districts and take their families into virgin territory to create homes for themselves. The Philippine islands have thousands of thrifty homesteaders.

The above photograph shows a picture of a Christian Filipino homesteader and his family near Pikit, Cotabato province, Mindanao, P. I. Five years ago he was a cab driver working for low wages at Cebu, a thickly populated city. He went into the then wilderness of Mindanao, planted hemp and cocoanuts, paid for his land and has become wealthy. Thousands of similar instances could be cited. One Mindanao homesteader is worth $200,000.

The Philippine government is encouraging the immigration of Filipinos from the thickly populated sections into Mindanao. This is the second largest of the islands of the archipelago it is still sparsely settled, although it is one of the richest and most productive islands in the world. Many Americans have established plantations there and become rich.

Filipinos are using the stories of the many successful Filipino homesteaders as an argument for independence. They make the point that a people that can go out into a tropical wilderness with no capital save their patience, perseverence and energy and win homes for themselves, have the necessary stamina to run their own affairs.

ASKS INDEPENDENCE WITH OR WITHOUT PROTECTION

Manuel L. Quezon President Philippine Senate

Manila, P. I. — The people of the Philippines want independence in whatever form they can get it, Manuel Quezon, president of the Philippine senate, declared in an address before that body.

"Let the Americans in the Philippines and those in the United States know that the people of the Philippines covet their freedom, liberty and political emancipation so much that they will not hesitate to receive from the Congress of the United States complete and absolute independence without protection," Quezon said.

"If the United States, dictated by its own interests, decides to extend protection to the Philippines, well and good. We would accept that as a solution of our problems. If not, let us have absolute independence in whatever form we can get it."

President Quezon declared that if the question were put before the Filipinos for a vote, 98 per cent would favor absolute independence.

A TEST OF FAITH

(Chattanooga News.)

We have frequent occasion to protest against the efforts of Japan to impose her dominion upon unwilling peoples, yet we have thus far failed to exemplify the ideals which we recommend to Japan. If we should withdraw our sovereignty from the Philippines, in accordance with our repeated promises, we could the more consistently ask Japan to follow a similar course toward Shantung, Manchuria and Siberia. Our plea would have a great deal more force if we could make it with clean hands. To say that the Philippines are not ready for independence is merely to express an arbitrary, gratuitous opinion. It is perfectly easy to create conditions—in one's own mind—that no people ever could comply with. Our delay about respecting our own pledge is a reflection on our national good faith and a constant invitation to international complications in the far east.

INDEPENDENCE OF PHILIPPINES

(Atascadero (Cal.) News.)

. . . The Philippines should be given absolute independence, which is their natural right, even if we are well aware that they have not yet reached the full stature of Americanism. We ourselves have not reached it so long as we insist upon governing other peoples against their will.

President Visits Wounded World War Veterans

President and Mrs. Harding inspecting Walter Reed hospital in Washington and visiting with the wounded ex-service men.

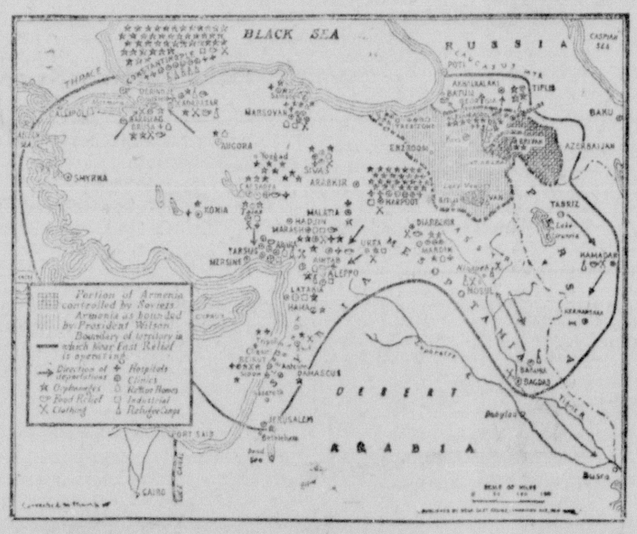
"Hurrah!" Yells Colonel Roosevelt

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt and his wife at the launching of the Superdreadnaught Colorado, which will carry eight 16-inch guns and a crew of 1,700 men.

"Cowless" Milk Made in Boston

Photograph of Dr. E. B. Carr and G. E. Cornforth making "cowless" synthetic milk in the laboratory of a sanitarium near Boston. It is made from oats, peanuts and water. Vegetarians approve it because it contains no animal fats; food experts are inclined to reject it for the same reason.

The Newest Near East Geography



THE accompanying map aims to show the extent of the operations of Near East Relief and also by contrast how comparatively limited is the Armenian area in the Near East controlled by the Bolsheviki.

Wherever in the Near East there are destitute Armenians, Syrians, Greeks, Jews, Assyrians, or others, needy and oppressed, regardless of race or creed, there Near East Relief follows. From Constantinople to Bagdad, from Port Said to Baku, even into Persia, the protecting arms of Near East Relief have reached until today its work is far more extensive outside the country of Armenia than within.

BILLS DEMOCRATS WILL ASK PEOPLE TO DEFEAT

The bills in Gov. Hyde's departmental consolidation program and those affecting the judiciary, which the Democratic State Committee, meeting here yesterday, decided to submit to referendum, if sufficient signatures can be obtained, are as follows:

One creating a State Budget Department.

One affecting the State Department of Labor.

The two "agricultural bills," abolishing certain offices.

A series of four bills creating a State Department of Public Welfare.

The judicial redistricting bill.

One abolishing the Kansas City Justice of the Peace courts.

One abolishing the Jackson County (Kansas City) Criminal Court.

Insurance Manager Here.

Freeman Alford of Kansas City, state manager of the North American Life Insurance company, was a visitor in Maryville yesterday and today, the guest of G. B. Holmes, the district agent of this company.

Michigan Visitor Here

Edward Linneman of Ann Arbor, Mich., arrived in Maryville Tuesday morning for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Linneman.

Health Is a Woman's Greatest Asset.

Contrast the cheerful happy woman with head erect, the glow of health on her cheeks, the elastic step and bubbling enthusiasm as she goes about her daily tasks, with the woman who suffers from backache, headaches, dragging-down pains, nervousness and despondency. Such conditions are undoubtedly caused by woman's ailments which will yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for many, many years has been restoring weak, ailing women to health and strength. Every woman who suffers in this way owes it to herself to at least give it a trial.—Adv.

UNCOVER SKELETON SAID TO BE THAT OF GUNMAN.

Kansas City, Mo., April 13.—A skeleton believed to be that of Pete Mankus, killed in a gun battle over a year ago with a posse, has been uncovered here.

Three men, at that time, engaged in a running gun fight with a Jackson county marshal and his deputies near the place where the skeleton was found. The bandits were apprehended while they were breaking into a box car and fled, pursued by the posse.

The three men hid behind great piles of brush and engaged in a fierce gun battle with members of the posse. Hundreds of shots were fired. After several men had been wounded, two of the thieves surrendered. One of the men was seriously wounded and died a short time later. The other one received a sentence of two years in the penitentiary.

A thorough search of the brush piles and refuse was made for several days but no trace of the third man was found. It was then believed that Mankus had escaped.

Car of Franklin County special cook stove coal, just set. J. H. Gray Fuel Company. 12-13

NOTICE.

Three high school teachers in consolidated district 162, Graham, Missouri.

Superintendent salary, $150 per month.

Subjects — Mathematics, 3 classes. History, 1 class. Mechanical drawing, 1 class. Bookkeeping, 1 class.

Principal salary, $100 per month.

Subjects—History, 1 class. Science, 2 classes. History, 2 classes.

Assistant principal, salary $100.00.

Subjects—English 4 classes. Parliamentary procedure 1 class.

Two grade teachers, salary $70.00 per month.

One for 5th and 6th grades.

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Mary Jane and Old Hullaballoo the Hound

MARY JANE and Old Hullaballoo had been good friends ever since Mary Jane had been big enough to toddle around and pull Hullaballoo's ears, and try to tie knots in his tail.

Well, one day Old Hullaballoo came back home all tired out, with his tongue hanging out, and the first thing he said to Mary was "Have you anything good to eat in the house?" Mary said "I'll see" and she went in and looked all around.

There were some apples, and tomato ketchup, and sweet cider, and eggs. But Hullaballoo said he wasn't hungry for these things. So Mary made up a nice spread of bread and some delicious Mary Jane Syrup, and took it out.

"Now you've fixed up a real treat" said Hullaballoo. "That's something I like." And he ate every bit of it.

Then he said: "If I were a smart little girl like you, instead of an old hound dog, I'd tell the world that Mary Jane Syrup was the very finest spread anybody could possibly use."

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FOR SALE.

USED AND NEW AUTO PARTS for your car, also late model Ford parts, new axles and springs for all makes of cars. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. F10-tf

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

FOR SALE—Well improved 80, might consider small town property. John Graves, Maryville, Route 2. M21-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—4 room cottage, one lot, 421 South Vine; 5 room cottage, 213 East 5th St., both clean and nice; also 502 East 1st St., the best modern 11 room home in the city. See me at office. I cannot talk business over the phone. Chas. Hyslop. M26tf.

FOR SALE—Seed corn, clover, alfalfa, sudan grass and soy beans. M. C. Thompson. Farmers 149, Hanamo 3268 or 3669. A2-tf

If in the market for western land, let me talk with you; I have some real bargains in western Kansas, eastern Colorado and southeastern Wyoming. J. W. Ray, Maryville, Mo. 4-16

FOR SALE—At a bargain, John Deere corn planter, in good repair, with 80 rod check wire. Call Farmer 14-19. 11-13*

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FOR SALE—Improved seven acre tract, joining city. Bargain if taken at once. C. B. %Democrat-Forum. 11-13*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—2 row go-devil, good as new. Inquire 802 East Third St. 11-13

FOR SALE—Single comb black Minorca eggs, $1.00 per setting. Mrs. John T. Griffey, Maryville. Farmers 12-17. 11-13

FOR SALE—3 white sows and 29 pigs. John Rogers. 11-13*

FOR SALE—Scotch Collie dog, 816 South Buchanan, Maryville, Mo. 11-13

FOR SALE—White Rock eggs, the good laying strain. Mrs. O. Lattin, Conception Junction. Farmers phone 1006. 12-14*

FOR SALE—Plants, vegetable and flowers. Cabbage 15c a dozen; $1.00 per hundred. Tomatoes, 15c a dozen, $1 per 100. Mango peppers, 25c a dozen, $2 per 100. All potted tomato plants 60c per dozen. Full line of spring bedding plants for porch boxes, baskets and bedding out. Mail orders filled promptly. Earl Kissinger Greenhouses. Phone 574, Hanamo. One block south of hospital. 12tf

FOR SALE—Oats, so many wanted oats, ordered another car; on Burlington tracks Saturday or Monday, 43c at car. Phone me if you want any. U. S. Wright, Han. 476, Farmers 131-14.

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Rock eggs for hatching. Mrs. A. L. Auer, Farmers 301. Address 221 South Saunders St. 12-14

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington baby chicks, hen hatched, 15c each. Mrs. C. T. Barrow, 132 Grand Ave. 13-14*

POTATOES FOR SALS — Home grown, for seed or eating. John Graves. Farmers 76-12. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Plants: Tomato, cabbage, sweet potatoes, 15 for 15c or 75c per hundred. Celery, cauliflower, peppers, 12 for 15c, or $1.00 per hundred. Phone Han. 662. W. L. Scott, 423 South Depot street. 13-19*

FOR SALE—Dirt for $1 a load delivered. Hanamo 279. Robert Hardin. 13-19

FOR SALE—Dunlap strawberry plants; cabbage plants; blooming plants at Singer Shop, 129 W. 3d. 13-15*

MISCELLANEOUS.

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WANTED—Second hand furniture, stoves, rugs, etc., of all kinds. Case Furniture Store, 208 N. Main St., Han. 530, Far. 310. S27tf.

DO NOT RAISE WHEAT IN MISSOURI—Come to Western Oklahoma, where better wheat land can be bought for two-thirds less money, for full description and price list, write C. W. Maxey, Gage, Okla. A2-M2*

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ROAD WORK—Parties desiring contract to operate the Hughes township road grading outfit, should apply to the township board on or before the next meeting, April 20, 1921. Frank E. McNeal, twp. clerk. 12-14

WANTED—Plug team, must be serviceably sound, good weight and flesh. Call Hanamo 4508. 12-14

LOST OR STRAYED — 3 year-old light gray mare, weight about 1100 lbs. Call W. B. Cox, Graham, Mo. 12-14

GOVERNMENT needs Railway Mail Clerks. Salary $133 to $192 month. Traveling expenses paid. Examination announced soon. Write for free specimen questions. Columbus Institute, Columbus, Ohio. A13-tf

LOST—"Jack" a spotted fox terrier dog, wearing collar. Notify Ray Cook. 13-15

LOST—Chevrolet crank, between Maryville Motor Co. and Carter's shop on West Seventh St. Return to this office. 11-13

FOR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE—6 room house. 1012 East Second. Hanamo 5410. M31tf.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment, with built-in features, hard wood floors. Case Furniture Store. 12-14

WANTED—Plain sewing. Mrs. Harry Jones, 115 North Newton St. 12-18

FOR RENT—Two pastures, 160 and 71 acres, good water and shade, 3½ miles northeast of Clyde, Mo. R. Y. Ellerman. 11-27*

FOR RENT—House and 2 acres, in north Maryville. John Graves, Farmers 76-12. A2-tf

FOR RENT—Strictly modern 5 room apartment, $15 per month. Yeo Bros 11-13*

FOR RENT—6 room house, lights and water, 2 blocks south of high school. Inquire Superior Cleaning Co. 13-15*

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City, April 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500; steers, $7 to $8.35; cows, $5.75 to $8.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; top, $8.40; bulk, $7.25 to $8.25.

CORN—May, 47⅝.

WHEAT—May, $1.13½.

Chicago, April 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 16,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 19,000.

St. Joseph, April 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; 10c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; top, $8.35.

SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000. Weak.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs per dozen	20c
Hens per lb.	23c
Roosters, per lb.	12c
Ducks, per lb.	20c
Geese per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	2c
Butterfat per lb.	36c

SECOND BULL SALE AT L. L. HART FARM THURS. AFTERNOON

Only 8 Have Been Listed for Barnard So Far—Carver Working to Interest Breeders.

The second sale in the series being held for the Better Bulls contest will take place tomorrow at the L. L. Hart farm one and one-half mile south of Clearmont, according to R. A. Kinnaird, agricultural agent of Nodaway county. The sale will begin about 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

So far only eight bulls have been obtained for the Barnard sale. Kinnaird was at Skidmore and Graham Tuesday in the interest of the sale. He and E. E. Carver of Guilford are trying to interest enough breeders in that part of the county in the campaign that they will be able to list a greater number.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for the kind assistance during our recent fire.

MR. and MRS. HOMER WORL.

Car of Franklin County special cook stove coal, just set. J. H. Gray Fuel Company. 12-13

S. C. Brown Leghorns, Russell strain, mated to cockerels direct from Tormohlen. Excellent layers. Mrs. J. R. Evans, R. 7, Mutual phone 15-13. M21-A29

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Take Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine tablets 30c.

Be sure you get BROMO

The genuine bears this signature

E. W. Grove

Schools Are Making Filipinos An English Speaking Race

This is the type of schoolroom that is rapidly making an English speaking nation out of the 10,500,000 inhabitants of the Philippines.

If a teacher in a public school in the Philippines desires to punish a child, she doesn't have to apply the ruler. She simply sentences the offending pupil to remain away from school a few days!

This is the most severe punishment she can inflict, for Filipino children take an almost abnormal pleasure in going to school and acquiring an education. The all-Filipino legislature, in response to the popular demand for "schools, and still more schools," is constantly increasing its appropriations for education, but the schools can scarcely be constructed fast enough to care for the ever-increasing enrollment. The school enrollment is now 892,000 without any compulsory attendence laws. When Dewey sailed into Manila Bay there were 2,100 private schools in the islands. Today there are 6,500 schools and colleges, with 17,000 Filipino teachers and about 1,000 other teachers, 341 of whom are Americans.

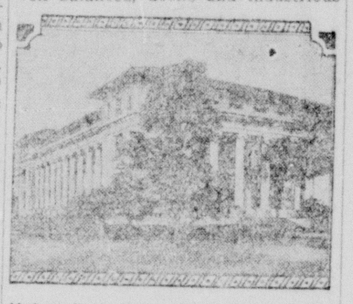
The University of the Philippines is the center of learning of the entire Orient, and is the pride of the Filipino people. It has an enrollment of 3,500 students. Santo Tomas university of Manila, older than Harvard, is another famous seat of learning.

The school system includes normal schools, agricultural colleges, twenty-seven farm schools, a nautical school and a school for the deaf and blind.

The Filipino pupil, in addition to learning English and in addition to his regular studies, learns basket making, embroidery and hat weaving, the trades peculiar to the islands, as well as the domestic sciences and pedagogy. There are more positions than can be filled by the trade school and commercial college graduates. The trade and agricultural schools produced $1,176,850 worth of goods in 1919.

There is nothing that the Filipino people take more pride in and that they are more grateful to the United States for, than their school system, which has been declared by many competent critics to be one of the finest in the world. While the system was implanted in the islands by Americans, every cent of the cost has been cheerfully borne by the Filipino people. The schools are making an English speaking race of the Filipino nation. English is the official language, and it is declared will continue to be when independence is granted.

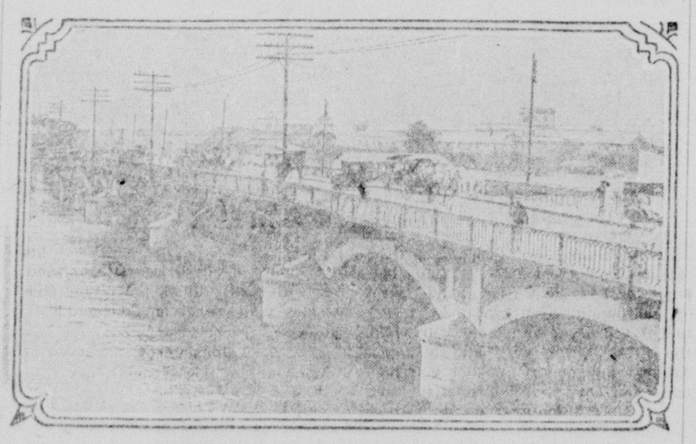
"The Filipino boys and girls are well balanced, docile and industrious pupils," says Junius B. Wood, who was sent to the islands by the Chicago Daily News to investigate conditions there. "To attend school is a privilege to a Filipino child or young man, not an unwelcome duty. In the cities those who work days go to school at night.



University of the Philippines which Has an Enrollment of 3,500 Students.

"Today there is hardly a barrio where youngsters cannot be found who speak English. One-third of the house of representatives and eighteen of the twenty-four senators speak English. In the next election, in 1922, the young men of the new schools will be stepping into control, and the first great goal of the public school system will have been reached."

A Passing Landmark of Old Manila



This is a photograph of the famous old Bridge of Spain, Manila. It is now a departed landmark of the Philippines, for its place has been taken by one of the finest bridges in the entire Orient, the new Jones bridge.

The Jones Bridge is named in honor of the late Congressman W. A. Jones of Virginia, author of the Jones law of 1916 which promised the Filipinos independence upon the establishment of a stable government.

The old Bridge of Spain is called "the mother of Manila's bridges." The original bridge was built of pontoons sometime between the years 1590 and 1600, being known as the Bridge of Boats. The stone bridge shown above was built about 1630. It was twice damaged by earthquakes, and was once partly demolished by a flood.

PRESS COMMENT ON PHILIPPINES

The Philippines!

(Shenandoah (Ia.) Post.)

Our idea of the Philippine question is to get out as quickly as possible and stay out. What do you say?

Our Little Brown Cousins

(Argus, Rock Island, Ill.)

There is no mistaking that Filipinos want their independence. And it is just possible, as they insist, that they in the islands, better than we Americans over here, are the best judges of whether they are fitted for independence. The United States wants no outburst in the Philippines as England faces in Ireland. The easiest way to head off a rebellion is to give the islands their independence before they have cause to rebel.

Shall We Let Philippines Go?

(Cedar Rapids (Ia.) Republican.)

The United States cannot continue to hold the Philippines unless this nation wants to give the lie to its own professions in the matter. The United States must keep faith with the world. The American people do not want the Philippine Islands to become their Irish question.

Filipinos Are Making Headway

(Mt. Vernon (O.) Republican-News)

The Filipinos are making an intensive and intelligent campaign for independence. They are urging their claims with shrewdness and vigor. They declare that they have proven beyond question that they are capable of self-government, and they believe that with independence the Filipino will so conduct himself as to gain the respect of the world.

LADY CLERK FOOLED BY AGE-OLD TRICK.

Geneva, N. Y., April 12.—An old game it is, but it worked all right in Geneva.

His manners were Chesterfieldian. His attire corresponded.

She was a busy lady clerk, and so busy!

Would she exchange a $20 bill for the twenty one-dollar bills he offered her? It would be easier to enclose in an envelope for mailing.

She complied, but counting the ones there were but nineteen. Ah, that would be all right. He would return with the missing bill in a minute. She could keep the envelope with the $20 in it until he returned. Taking all the bills he had given the young lady, he hastened out of the store.

Patient waiting failed to bring the Chesterfieldian back. Opening the envelope he had left with her the young lady found a folded sheet of paper. The $20 had disappeared with the young man.

Now she's wondering how it was possible for him to change envelopes without detection—and she's mourning the loss of the $20.

DENIES "DEVIL RUNS" THIS PEACEFUL TOWN.

Worchester, Mass., April 12.—Former Alderman Wilhelm Forsberg, one of the oldest residents of Quinsigamond, resents a statement made by the Rev. Joel Fridfelt, pastor of the Quinsigamond Swedish Congregational Church, that "The devil has run Quinsigamond Church long enough."

"Quinsigamond is one of the most peaceful spots in Worchester," says Mr. Forsberg.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Bids For County Depository

Bids will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, May 2, 1921 for the use of the Nodaway County funds, at which time the County Court will select a County Depository for the next two years. Bids will be received for all or parts, Court has the right to reject all bids.

Fred W. Smith, County Clerk.

A Democracy of Merit

FROM the Chairman of the Board of Directors to the man who sells you Red Crown at a Standard Oil Service Station, the entire personnel of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) constitutes a Democracy of Merit.

When there are vacancies on the Board of Directors, which occur from time to time, the men chosen to fill them are taken from the ranks. They are men who have proved their value to the Company and their ability to be of service to the customers of the Company.

Where the Company comes in contact with the customer, there are other men who have proved their worth. The operator in charge of the Standard Oil Service Station is on the job not because he happened along when the station was ready to open, but because after careful, painstaking consideration he was selected as the best man obtainable to serve the public in that particular position.

The efficiency of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is due to its system of promotion according to merit. Every employe knows that if he makes good at his job he will be given opportunity to advance.

The high quality of Standard Oil products and service is due to the loyal enthusiasm of the employes. The Company's policy of rewarding special endeavor promotes this enthusiasm.

Many of the processes of value to the Company, the public, and the petroleum industry generally, have been evolved by Standard Oil Company (Indiana) employes, working with the facilities afforded by this organization.

When you buy Red Crown Gasoline, Polarine, or any other product bearing the brand of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) you are receiving the fruits of this enthusiasm, and may rest assured that you are getting the utmost value for the money you spend.

Red Crown is the highest type motor gasoline. Polarine lubricants are the result of infinitely careful adaptation of the principles of lubrication to the various kinds of motors and motor parts for which these lubricants are recommended.

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NOTICE TO THE PEOPLE OF MARYVILLE

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SHOEMAKER-BOVARD CO.

Get Ready for Hot Weather By Purifying the Blood

Many people simply melt in summer. They can't work or enjoy life. They lack vitality. Ten to one their blood is impoverished.

Rich, wholesome blood is the basis of vitality. If you have it, you sturdily withstand summer temperatures. But if your blood is poor, loaded with poisons that should be cast out, you are limp and useless in "shirt-sleeve" weather.

To avoid this, get from your druggist S.S.S., the famous vegetable blood tonic and alterative. It is just the thing for poor blooded people. After starting S.S.S., write us about your condition and we will send you expert medical advice free. Address Chief Medical Advisor, 839 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Georgia.

USED 50 YEARS S.S.S. AS A TONIC

Social Gossip and Clubs

Too Much.

"Now, Mary, I don't want to be misunderstood in this matter. I am willing that you should be a suffragette, I am willing to get up in the morning, split the kindling, light the fire, cook the breakfast, wash the dishes and dust the parlor, but I'll be doggoned if I'm going to wear pink ribbons in my nighty to fool the baby!"

Entertained.

Mrs. Lawrence Hill living near Graham entertained the schoolmates and teacher of her son, William, at dinner Monday noon to celebrate her son's eleventh birthday anniversary.

Smith Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith and children had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hill and son, William, living near Graham.

Lodge Meeting.

The Alert Rebekah lodge will meet in regular session tomorrow night at the I. O. O. F. hall. Entertainment committee No. 4 will have charge of the evening.

Gray Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Gray entertained at dinner Sunday at their home north of Maryville in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gray, newlyweds. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sowers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wray, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Pence, Misses Alma Wray, Iva and Orlette Wray, Irene Sowers, Arcile Gray, Velma, Leta and Ola Gray, Owen Holt, Drexel and Forest Gray.

Party at Sturm Home.

Miss Lena Tarpley gave a party Sunday night in honor of Miss Gertrude Sturm at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sturm, seven miles west of Maryville. The party was planned as a surprise to Miss Sturm and games, music and dancing were the ammusements of the evening. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Sturm. Those attending the party were Pauline Mahoney, Marie Sturm, Teresa and Gertrude Riley, Margaret Sturm, Mary Bagby, Anna Heitman, Gertrude Sturm, Edna Tarpley, Mae Sturm, Lena Tarpley, Arley Culvert and William Sturm, Fred Stein, Philip Growney and Walter Sturm of Conception Junction, Ralph Clemons, Chris Zimmerman, Fred Sturm, William Tarpley and Purl Shell.

Party At Job Home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Job Jr., entertained a number of their friends informally last night at their country home near Maryville. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Honer and daughter, Betty Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Finn and daughter, Ilene, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Masters, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte and daughter, Roberto, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dempsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey and son, Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Finn, Mrs. Helen Strauch and son, Leland, Misses Mabel Riffel, Ella O'Grady, Lucile Masters, Nellie Strauch, May Mahoney, Arley Calvert, Gertrude Sturm, Lela Tarpley, Fern McKee, Balnche Curnutt and Will O'Grady, Morris Riffel, Will Tarpley, Robert Strauch, Emery Shell, Purl Shell, Howard Masters and Carl Tarpley. Music was furnished by Carl Tarpley, Delbert Finn and Arley Calvert.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Buchanan street Methodist church held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the church. Mrs. W. H. Burr led the program which was a study of mission work in San Antonio. Mrs. Charles Thorp took part on the program and an open discussion was held on the Bible lesson. Mrs. M. L. Hopper was the devotional leader. Reports were given and it was voted to send a regular accredited delegate to the annual convention of missionary societies of the Missouri conference which will be held at Fulton, Mo., on June 13. About fifteen members attended the meeting.

Birthday Surprise.

Sunday being the sixty-seventh birth day anniversary of Mrs. N. H. Barsball, a number of relatives and friends pleasantly surprised Mr. and Mrs. Barsball with a basket dinner at their home near Conception. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Elba Anderson, Oakley Anderson and daughter, Zelpha, and son Junior, Misses Grace Anderson, Mildred Anderson, Oma Anderson, Harold Anderson, Miland Anderson and R. P. Anderson all of Guilford, Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kennedy of Union Star, Mr. and Mrs. John Rowlette and daughters, Mildred and Ruby of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Linn of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Will Anderson and son, Wesley of Bedison, Mr. and Mrs. Inez Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barsball, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barsball. Miss Marguerite Anderson, Roland Anderson and Emmett Barsball all of Conception.

Airy Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Airy entertained at dinner last night in honor of William Airy of Watson, Mo., and Frank Airy of New York City, who are visiting in Maryville with their brother, J. W. Airy. An additional guest was Miss Lucile Airy.

Daughters of 1812 Meeting.

In observance of the first anniversary of the Benjamin Wright chapter of the Daughters of 1812, an informal social hour featured with a birthday cake will be held at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ed G. Grear. A business session will also be held when the election of officers will take place, the question of publishing a year book next year will be decided upon and also the work for next year. The April meeting is the last session of the Benjamin Wright chapter for this club year. The committee in charge of the meeting is composed of Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Mrs. Charles T. Bell and Mrs. Jesse Douglas.

Royal Neighbors Meeting.

The Royal Nighbors will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Modern Woodman hall. Initiatory work will be given.

B. B. Party.

The party of the B. B. club of the Scudder neighborhood will be held Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Booth instead of Friday night as first announced.

Mrs. Hasty Entertains.

Mrs. Fred Hasty entertained a few friends at her home yesterday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Will Thornhill and children, Mrs. Charles Thorp and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and son.

Guests At Dinner.

Mrs. Fred DeMoss entertained at dinner Monday night in compliment to Mrs. Gay Looper.

Tian Luncheon.

Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, chairman; Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. A. A. Brewer, Mrs. Fleming Carpenter, Mrs. Roy Curfman, Mrs. H. R. Juveral, Mrs. F. S. King, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mrs. W. W. Randall, Mrs. C. G Steinsmeyer, Mrs. J. F. Hull, Mrs. T. H. Lee, Miss Therese Hull and Miss Mary Guinn, hostesses for the Twentieth Century club luncheon which will be given Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Gallatin Craig, met at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the rest room at the court house to plan the luncheon. The election of officers for the coming year will be held at this meeting and the Twentieth Century club scrapbook, containing data of the club since its organization fifteen years ago, will be on exhibition.

HARDING WILL TOSS FIRST BALL TODAY IN FIGHT.

Washington, April 13.—Harding will toss the first ball here today starting the Washington Senators American League pennant fight. Vice-president Coolidge and other officials will be the guests of Pilot Griffith. General Pershing will raise the flag over the park.

NO CHURCH NIGHT SERVICE AT BUCHANAN M. E. CHURCH

The regular church night service at the Buchanan street Methodist church to have been held tonight, has been called off and there will be no service at the church tonight.

CARPENTIER TO SAIL FOR AMERICA IN MAY.

Paris, April 13.—Carpentier intends to sail for America May 7 to begin training.

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Medals and Things

By MARTHA M. WILLIAMS

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There was frost in the air; also in Mrs. Hubert's manner, as she went between gorgeous ragged ranks of late growth to meet the Trevors. Aunt Bab had baited them there to see the choice late roses and chrysanthemums she was busy hooding and shrouding against the strengthening cold. "I could cut them, to be sure," Aunt Bab explained. "But it is a shame not to let them die happy in the sun on their own stalks."

"How I wish humanity ran in families!" Archy Trevor laughed, taking Mrs. Hubert's hand. "If it did—but there! I won't speculate on the impossible. Instead, here are thanks for what I may or may not be about to receive."

"Vivian, dear—please snub him—hard," Anna Trevor entreated with a plaintive accent. "He has been insufferable now for three days over—he won't tell what. Say right off you won't listen, no matter what it may be. Then he will run away to sulk—and we can have a beautiful gossip—"

"About me, of course—I am—fixed—as the laws of Medes and Persians," Archy interrupted.

"Good boy!" Aunt Bab murmured, patting his arm.

He kissed her hand, saying with twinkling eyes: "Do your worst, ladies! I'm ready for anything—even to have you set the cats on me—"

"You'd like that, no doubt—now that you have grown a cat fancier," Mrs. Hubert said silkenly.

Archy smiled, not quite easily, answering: "There are cats—and cats. I am not fond of—everything that has claws."

"Stop fussing and be human," Aunt Bab commanded. "When you are as old as I am, you'll feel how wicked it is to waste life getting grouchy about nothing. Go on and tell us your great secret, Archy—whether it's about money, marbles, or matrimony."

"It might concern all three—only it doesn't," Archy answered, shrugging. "It's only—all these came in a bunch," pulling from a deep pocket a huddle of ribbons, crosses and medals. "Near-affidavit along with them, saying they're all due me. I can't quite believe it—"

"Archy! You darling!" Anna cried, hugging him close. Aunt Bab did the same as soon as he was free. Mrs. Hubert looked on with humid eyes, her whole being fluid. Archy had been so silent as to what had befallen in those months overseas—he had come back without a scratch, and had seemed to avoid comradely gatherings, though he had clung to his buddy—Joe-George Green by name—closer than to a real brother. They had had many laughs together about something they would not name. When Joe-George went on to California, his last shouted good-by had been: "Lordy, old son—they'll git you yet. Don't I wish I could stay and see the fun!" Even after that Archy had held his tongue. And Vivian Hubert, whom he had loved and lost as Vivian Dane, had been hurt and chilled—there must be something terrible behind this reticence—nothing could make her believe Archy had played the coward—but there were so many, many other ways wherein he might have tripped and fallen she had been far from happy.

Then he had begun dangling after the Francis woman—who affected the intense in everything. Just now she owned a humanitarian craze—went about doing good, according to her own notion, to animals that she might better have left alone. Cats were her latest specialty—hence Vivian's thrust at Archy—he had actually carried home for the Francis person a litter of blind kittens rescued from drowning, which she insisted were entitled to an easier death. Vivian had laughed easily over the story—thereby confounding the gossip who had told it. But she had cried stilly, half the night after—she had so hoped Archy would understand her marriage had been hardly of her own making, but a yielding to what her elders in their wisdom had decreed. By a cynical jest of fate, death had freed her six months after the wedding day. Now the freedom was Dead sea fruit, turning to ashes on her lips.

But she had rallied as women will, veiled her heart by playing with other suitors, telling herself the while she would never marry anybody. She was striving to hold fast to that mental attitude—even with Archy proven a rare hero they were friends only. He stood tossing the decorations lightly from hand to hand, his sister and Aunt Bab trying hard to snatch them away. Cupping the hands, he held them out to Vivian, saying with his most whimsical smile: "Hold fast what I give you. Remember, Viv, how many times we played that game?"

"Several million, I think," Vivian managed to answer, her fingers clutching hard what he had dropped within them. "I'm wild to look at them—may I?" she went on.

Archy shook his head. "No, I'll drive my bargain sight unseen. These tokens come to me from three fine fellows—Johnny Crapoud, John Bull, Esq., and our kind kinsman, Uncle Sam. You know, it is a privilege to pin any of 'em on an honest-to-goodness hero—how much will you offer for it? And which will you choose?"

"Uncle Sam's—if it's no more than a shoestring," Vivian cried, flushing happily.

"Highest priced in the lot," Archy commented. "But now I think of it, you're fond of high price—"

He caught himself up sharp. Vivian had grown white as death—she thought he was throwing her marriage in her teeth—could she ever forgive him? His heart turned leaden as she turned from him saying clearly: "Yes, but I have grown wiser with age. So I drop out. Anyway, I could never outbid Mrs. Francis—I'm not in her class."

"Right-o!" Archy flung back, as he took the glittering bundle and passed it to Aunt Bab. "Nan can take a week off for pawing 'em over," he went on. "Think I'll start to California soon."

"On a wedding trip?" Vivian asked, trying to speak lightly. Archy caught something in her voice that made him wheel, look hard at her, then take her hands, and say joyously: "Why, come to think of it, that would be nice—not to say economical. I'm due there, anyway, between this and Christmas. It was surely kind of you to think and speak of it. How long will it take you to pack?"

"Pack? What do you mean?" Vivian began primly, her cheeks, though, belying her austerity. Archy kissed her handsomely.

"You can't think I'd turn down an old friend cold," he said. "Indeed, I didn't hesitate the least bit—made up my mind to accept before you were half through proposing."

"Don't you dare tell Joe-George I had to do it," Vivian said from the depths of his shoulder, where her face was hidden. "Now, Mrs. Francis," Aunt Bab supplemented. Anna had pity; she dragged Vivian away from them, saying over her shoulder: "Of all the stupid courting I ever heard or read, or dreamed of, this is the very worst."

"Still and all—your 'ero brother was never more a 'ero," Archy hall chanted, running after them. Imperatively he stopped the young woman, stuck out his chest and said in his deepest voice: "Adorn me, women! If I must go a lamb to the altar, let it be with all my blushing honors thick upon me."

"Now you behave," Aunt Bab said severely, coming to them sadly out of breath.

Archy giggled. "Yes, ma'am, I never will do so no more while I live."

FEARED FOR HIS OWN TRELLIS

Chinese Humorists Tell Good Story With Henpecked Magistrate as the Central Character.

Managing wives and henpecked husbands are not uncommon in China, in spite of the subordinate position that women are supposed to occupy in that country. A considerable part of the humor of the Chinese is concerned with households where the woman is master; one popular story, quoted by a writer in the Open Court, is as follows:

A district magistrate was sitting in his court, trying cases. When the chief clerk appeared and took his seat the magistrate saw that his face was full of scratches; so he asked him, "What have you done to your face?"

"Yesterday evening," replied the man, "I was sitting under my vine trellis, enjoying the cool breeze, when all at once a gust of wind overturned the trellis, which fell upon me and scratched my face."

But the magistrate did not believe the story. "Evidently these are scratches of finger nails," he said. "I am sure that you had a quarrel with your wife and were scratched by her. Is it not so?"

"Sir, you have guessed right," said the clerk blushing.

"Is your wife such a dangerous person?" inquired the magistrate. "I shall avenge you by summoning your wife before my tribunal and giving her a good thrashing."

Just as he uttered those words his own wife came rushing in from the next room and said, "Whom are you going to beat?"

The magistrate hurriedly said to his attendants, "The sitting is adjourned. Leave the hall quickly. My vine trellis may collapse at any moment!"

Consistency.

We hear so much of consistency. Carlyle said: "Wise men sometimes change their opinions, fools never." Emerson has written:

"With consistency a great soul has simply nothing to do. He may as well concern himself with his shadow on the wall. Speak what you think now, and tomorrow again speak what tomorrow thinks, though it contradict everything you said today. 'Ah; so you shall be misunderstood.' Is it so bad to be misunderstood? Pythagoras was misunderstood, and Socrates, and Jesus, and Luther, and Copernicus, and Galileo, and Newton, and every pure and wise spirit that ever took flesh. To be great is to be misunderstood."

Charring Don't Stop Wood's Decay.

Charring is found by the United States forest products laboratory to have little effect in preventing the decay of the butts of telephone poles and fence posts. The coating of charred wood is not usually perfect, and the season checks that form before or after the charring open the way to fungus infection, with decay in the interior of the wood scarcely less rapid than in the untreated material.

Something to Cover Up.

"Joskins says he has no use for newspapers. That he does not take politics to bed with him."

"Then, naturally, he has no use for political sheets."

NEEDS LIVE C. OF C.

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only of those who happen to be in office.

Leadership.

"Education must be supplemented by good leadership. You may have good educational publicity, but if the direction of a program is not in capable hands the people will not respond. They will, however, follow able leaders. That leadership depends on the personnel and character of those in charge of these public undertakings, and must show intelligence on its face and all the way through in order to properly impress those whose following is sought.

"Through capable leadership every interest may be served, not only by conducting the usual and recognized commercial and industrial activities of a chamber of commerce, but seeing to better educational facilities, by working for parks, play grounds and gardens, a physically cleaner city, recommending improvements in the financial operation of the city, meeting the employment situation, investigating and recommending solutions of vexatious problems, facing the vice question as it should be faced, combining and supervising charities, and through these and divers ways interesting not only the men of the community, but the women also.

Independence.

With education and leadership as foundation stones, there may be established an independence that will carry the organization forward in all of its undertakings. There must be independence, an entire freedom from what is politic, best for the organization or will please the most people. An organization, like a person, must have personality and character. If it does not, it will be the plaything of popular fancy, following the trend of thought instead of directing it. The work of an organization, unless intended to be for one or two exclusive classes, must be conducted for the benefit of all of the people of a community.

Accomplishment.

"With education, leadership and independence working together, accomplishment will come. But accomplishment, successful accomplishment, every organization must have. It is the necessary proof of the other things. The organization plan, operation and value will be judged entirely by what is accomplished.

"How shall accomplishments be exploited so as to convince the public of the serviceability of the organization and its claim to interest and support. In these days of overwhelming printed matter this is extremely difficult. Literature must first attract, then interest and impress, hence the necessity of devising something new. A frequent report is generally the medium for presenting or summarizing an organization's work, but the forms of reports, like store fronts, have to be changed occasionally. It is desirable to issue something in a new form, as far removed as possible from the voluminous, burdensome, expensive and little-read reports of the past.

"There have been many times when we have publicly opposed what the city officials were undertaking and we are equally ready to support and help them where our help is needed. The best illustration of 'butting in' was in connection with the influenza epidemic in 1918 when the chamber took the initiative in forcing the closing of public places and the discontinuance of large gatherings, regardless of the effect on business; and when the embargo was raised prematurely, having it put on again.

"We recently gave a luncheon to the officials at which pledges of mutual interest and co-operation were exchanged and right now we are working very closely with different departments of the city and with the City Planning Commission in the preliminary steps for new water works and for an intelligent plan for the city's future physical growth.

Confidence

"Confidence is the fifth and last requirement in the arbitrary list laid down in this presentation. That confidence must be first reflected by the members. They are naturally in a better position to judge than the outside public who have practically no points of contact except through the columns of of the daily press. Confidence of the members will be contagious. It will extend in ever-increasing circles, starting with the member's own family, business associates, acquaintances, employees or fellow workers.

"Every member should be a walking advertisement or missionary for the Chamber of Commerce. He should assume an obligation to know what is done by it and why. It is the "why" that turns the salesmanship trick and makes the convert.

"Every Chamber of Commerce must have three fundamentals—numerical strength, adequate finances and personal service, if it would be successful. And it is necessary that you back up the officers of your chamber in whatever they undertake to do. You may not always agree with them, but if you have chosen the right men to head the organization, you must give them credit for having sized up any matter from their closer point of view and having suggested a course of action that in their judgement will be best for the whole town.

"This is the day of organization, more organization and better organization than ever before and there is peace patriotism just as there was war patriotism—no limit to the possibilities in that direction. It is all right to have your individual thought, but when it comes to action, that should be collective and up-to-date Chamber of Commerce furnishes the channel for collective action, to do the things that the individual has neither the inclination nor the power to do."

Two Kinds of Women

We know a woman, who when she needs to purchase necessary things for the home or the family puts on her shopping costume, dabs a bit of powder on her nose and sallies forth.

She shops street one here and up there chases and and down another hunting and h-u-n-t-i-n-g. a When she gets home she is j z y and j-a-d--e--d. She z feels all mussed up mentally and physically.

We know another who has learned the art of reading the advertisements before she starts out. She finds out what she wants and where to get it. Then she goes straight down town and right to the store that has IT.

In this way she saves time, money and effort and comes home fresh as a daisy and ready to get friend husband a good dinner instead of taking him to the cafeteria.

Which One Are You?

FAMOUS ENGLISH RACE HORSE

Eclipse, Bred by the Duke of Cumberland, Was the Sensation of His Generation.

That celebrated race horse, Eclipse, which died Feb. 28, 1789, at the ripe age of 25 years, received his name on account of his being born during an eclipse of the sun, and it became curiously significant and appropriate when in mature life he was found to pass all contemporary horses as regarding speed.

Eclipse was bred by the Duke of Cumberland, a brother of George III and afterward became the property of Dennis O'Kelly, who on his death bequeathed the animal, along with all his brood mares and other horses, to his brother Philip. For many years Eclipse lived in retirement from the turf, but was in other ways a source of considerable revenue to his owner on account of the many visitors who came to see the renowned hero of the race track who was passing his last days at Clay Hill near Epsom.

In those days it was not the custom to insure the lives of animals, and the fact that Eclipse was insured for an enormous sum only made his popularity the greater. When it became necessary to remove him he was so worn out that a carriage had to be especially constructed to carry him.

The secret of his immense success was revealed by the autopsy, when it was discovered that his heart was of unusual size, as it weighed thirteen pounds.—Chicago Journal.

WOMEN MUST AVOID WORRY

Weakens the Body for Its Daily Fight for Health, and So Destroys Good Looks.

Every minute that a woman spends in worry, weakens the body for its daily fight for health. It adds age it causes deep furrows to appear on the forehead, it injures the digestion and robs life of all pleasures and pence. So if you wish to keep your good looks, don't worry.

Work gives incentive, and thus life and health, to the organs of the body It strengthens our will, teaches us patience, perseverance and the courage to endure. It has been the salvation of many. The homely duties that are performed by the house mother each day, the sweeping, cooking and home caring, are wholesome duties which lead to health and strength

But if women allow their daily tasks to fret and worry them, they lose all of the benefit they otherwise would gain. It is not always the actual work that wears out the nerves and temper and ruins the disposition It is the spirit in which the work is done which allows worry to creep in. —Detroit News.

Earth Is Slowing Down.

Happily for our convenience, the process is extremely slow, but all the same the fact is that the days are getting longer.

This does not refer to hours or daylight increasing with the advancing year, but to days as timed by the revolution of the earth on its axis.

The earth's power of rotation, says a writer in the Popular Science Monthly, is growing weaker and as a result its revolution on its axis is slowing up. Which means, of course, that the day is lengthening.

An epoch must eventually arrive when the day will be equal in length to the year; that is, to the time it takes for us to revolve about the sun. Then the earth will always turn the same face toward the solar luminary, just as the moon now always turns the same face toward us, and one-half of our planet will have sunshine all the year, while the other half is in total and permanent darkness.

That is, if the sun still is shining. It may become a dim and chilly orb before then.

Plant Impales Insects.

There is in Cuba a curious grass, cenchrus echinatus, which bristles with tiny sharp-pointed spikelets upon which multitudes of insects are impaled by night as well as by day. The wings of the victims are pierced and entangled by the barbed spines, so that the most of them are unable to get away, and thus perish miserably.

Even a large, luminous snapping beetle, which is so strong and active that it can with difficulty be held in the hands, falls a victim to these vegetable bayonets. It has been observed, however, that two species of insects, a large bug, oebalus, and an earwig, readily free themselves from the spines. Minute insects are not caught. The grass does not appear to derive any nourishment from its prey. It is found elsewhere in the West Indies and in southern Florida.

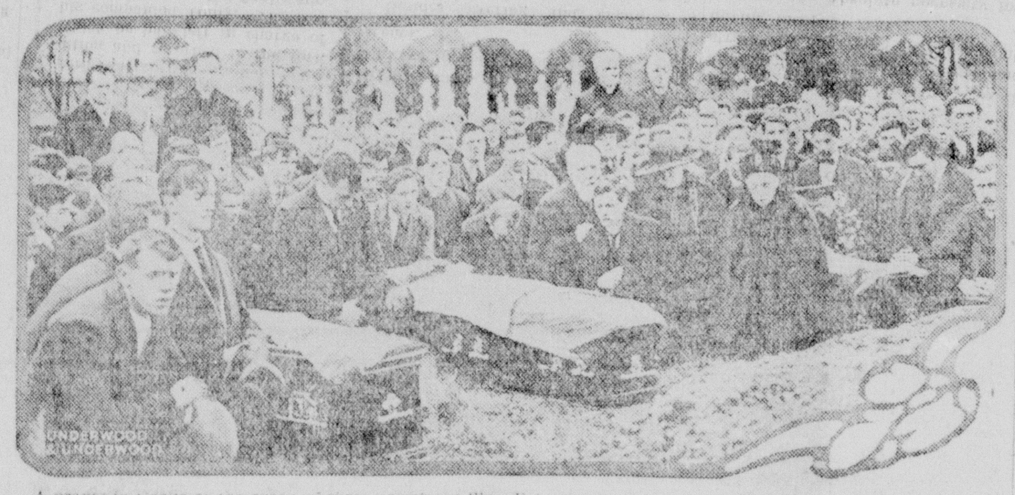
Hebrides Not All Gloom.

Occasionally there is a sun in the Hebrides, writes a traveler. Then the highlander sees beauty. The wild coast grass a brown-green, its seabirds a snowy white and the ocean with its innumerable waves sparkling blue. And on summer nights, when the fishermen go forth, the phosphorescent glow offers a splendid sight. "A stream of fire ran off each side from the bows," says MacCulloch, "and the ripple of the wake was spangled with the glowworms of the deep. Every oar dropped diamonds, every fishing line was a line of light, the iron cable went down in a torrent of flame, and the plunge of the anchor resembled an explosion of lightning."

A. R. C. Saves These Little Ones From Starvation

Captain Pedlow, A. R. C., head of the American Red Cross bureau at Budapest, surrounded by "his children"—a few of the thousands of hungry little Austrians and Hungarians the Red Cross is keeping from starvation.

Prayer in Gaelic at the Funeral of Sinn Feiners



A prayer in Gaelic at the grave of three prominent Sinn Feiners who were shot dead in their homes. The funeral is in the "Republican Plot" in Limerick. The dead were Mayor Clancy of Limerick, ex-Mayor O'Callaghan and Joseph O'Donaghue.

The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE

XXI.—ILLINOIS

KASKASKIA, the oldest town in Illinois, is on the site of an Indian village and it was here that Father Marquette, after his first discovery of the Illinois river, established a Jesuit mission in 1675. Four years later La Salle, the French explorer, passed through the Great Lakes, landed at the Chicago river and pushed on to the Illinois river, which he named after the Indian tribes living in that region. Here he built a fort and sent his boat back to Montreal for further supplies. When his vessel did not return he started home on foot and succeeded in finding his way to Montreal through a thousand miles of tangled wilderness. He gathered together another expedition and returned to the fort, which he had left in charge of his companion Tonty. The fort he found in ruins, but finally succeeded in locating and rescuing Tonty, who had been driven out by the Iroquois Indians.

This riverway to the Mississippi became one of the leading avenues of communication between the French in the North and Louisiana. French settlers soon located here and established the most friendly relations with the Indians. In fact, though the Illinois country was ceded by France to England in 1763, the sentiment of the Indians and French together was so hostile that it was several years before the territory could be occupied.

During the Revolution it was George Rogers Clark and his expedition into the territory north of the Ohio which captured Kaskaskia and drove the English from this province. Various states claimed rights to parts of this territory, but these were finally ceded to the federal government and in 1787 it was formed into the Northwest Territory. This tract extended from Pennsylvania to the Mississippi and was eventually divided into Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan.

In 1818 Illinois was admitted as the twenty-first state with an area of 56,665 square miles. The state is one of the most level in the country and is often called the Prairie State. Politically Illinois is the most important state in the Union next to New York and Pennsylvania as it has twenty-nine electoral votes for president.

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3 NEW DIRECTORS ELECTED TO C. OF C.

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shown. Athletics at the college, classes studying agriculture and solving the mysteries of the maple trees came in for a showing.

The Chamber of Commerce has helped obtain the services of "Billy" Barr, supervisor of vitalized agriculture in the rural schools of Nodaway county. Teaching corn testing, preparing hot lunch; farm carpentry; soil test; rope making, were some of the titles of every day scenes in these schools.

Food Factories.

The 3,657 food factories of Nodaway were pictured. The Shorthorn cattle, Hereford cattle, Poland,Chinas, pigs is pigs, mess call and Aberdeen-Angus made one realize that Nodaway is one of the first counties in the state in the production of stock.

Largest Poultry Club.

Nodaway has the largest boys and girls poultry club in Missouri. Some of the pure bred birds were pictured several times. The Shropshire sheep, turkeys, added variety to the farm scenes.

Besides fostering and encouraging the industries of the county in an indirect way the Chamber of Commerce helps many persons in a direct way, its free employment bureau functioning all of the time. Persons who want work call there while those who want help apply, The Chamber of Commerce brings the two together. With all of its other activities, 687 positions had been obtained last year.

In the remarks made by Mr. Wilfley and others who spoke Mr. Pickens was not forgotten. His energy, enthusiasm and interest were commended.

"Great stuff," was the comment heard by the crowd after the film in the auditorium was shown.

The President's Address.

George L. Wilfley, president of the Chamber of Commerce, gave the following address:

During the year, now closing, the Board of Directors has emphasized the advantages of brevity and promptness in the transaction of business and it is, therefore, becoming that my remarks at this time should be in harmony with that practice.

The secretary has prepared a unique report and it, therefore does not devolve on me to recite in detail what has been accomplished and, therefore, I prefer to confine myself more to matters of a personal nature.

Relations Pleasant

As the other retiring members of the board are not on the program I feel that I may speak for them as well as myself. I am confident they will bear me out in the statement that the relations of the members, one to another, were never more pleasant and cordial and the spirit of service and sacrifice never greater than at the present time. Faithful attendance on all the weekly meetings together with a sincere and earnest determination that harmony should at all times prevail, has been the attitude of every member. For myself I want to acknowledge with profound gratitude the kindly consideration shown me as presiding officer by every member of the board as well as other members of the Chamber. Hasty, ill considered rulings temperamental and erratic tendencies have uniformly been met with a kindly forbearance worthy of real men.

"Let George Do It."

"Let George Do It" but, which George? Why, George Pickens, of course." This speaks volumes. Throughout my tenure of office I have been in very close relation with Mr. Pickens and his tireless and unceasing efforts in the interests of the Chamber have made the burden of my service much lighter. His energetic and tactful labors are worthy of the highest encomiums. The greatest good of the business men of Maryville represented by the Chamber of Commerce, is his one absorbing thought.

On the whole my conclusion is that at least three facts have been demonstrated by the work of the Chamber during the past year.

First: the absolute necessity for a compact, thoroughly organized body of business men for our city.

Second: the possibility of full, complete co-operation of men of widely divergent views and interests for a common purpose.

Third: that, based on the educational benefits of continued team work, as illustrated by our own history, still greater things can be accomplished.

Harmony And Co-operation

If called upon for proof of these facts I would refer in the main to the splendid response of our citizens to every forward movement instituted by the board and the ready response to our call for funds to finance the various projects. This splendid spirit has been emphasized, notwithstanding the fact that during the past year business depression has been broadcast and the money stringency has had a severe grip on every industrial activity. With such a spirit of harmony and co-operation there is no reason why the new board should not plan greater things in the confident belief that our members in general will support them to the limit.

MEMBERS OF CHAMBER ARE STOCKHOLDERS, SAYS WOLFERS

It Has No Capital Stock—Pays No Dividends—Not Subject To Income Tax

Fred R. Wolfers gave a toast to the retiring directors. His remarks in part are:

Mr. Chairman and Stockholders: I say stockholders because you and each of you have a share in this Chamber of Commerce which may most appropriately be termed Personal Service Corporation. It has its board of Directors and its Stockholders, its monthly and annual meetings and is distinguished from an ordinary business corporation in that it has no capital stock, pays no pecuniary dividends and, thank Heaven, is not subject to the income tax. So it comes about that once in each year we stockholders meet, as we are meeting now, to review the work of the past fiscal period and to pertect plans for the one which is to follow. This necessarily involves the annual election of three directors.

Election Soon Over

This election will soon be accomplished. However, let us not forget our honorable President and his two associates who are retiring after years of the best type of service ever exhibited in this or any other organization. I refer, of course, to our ever reliable, sane and fair-minded Presiden, Mr. George Wilfley, and to his right and left bowers, Mr. Ed Curfman and Mr. Charles Remus.

I would not suggest or have you think that the success of this Chamber of Commerce is to be attributed to the Board of Directors or to any of its members. Without the wholesome spirit of co-operation, concerning which our retiring President has just spoken, which you and each of you have manifested during the past few years, our various programs could not have been accomplished and the results of our activities would have been negligible.

Retiring Directors

The three retiring members to whom reference has been made, are men of affairs each carring the load of a cemmercial enterprice of a magnitude calculated to demand his entire time and attention. Yet in behalf of the public good each has seen fit to sacrifice his own personal gain. Without reservation it can truthfully be said that each of these men has been absolutely devoted to the Chamber of Commerce. Would that there were a greater number of their type. Regular in attendance at all meetings, seriously interested in the varied and complicated problems presented for solution, ever ready to assume more than their share of the hard, thankless tasks and at all times deliberating with the high purpose of doing justice to all concerned, they have set an example which each of us may profitably emulate.

Good Fellowship

Accept my words as exprssive of the sentiments of the entire Board of directors when I say that our contact with these three men has been characterized by the utmost good-fellowship. Trained by long years of experience to approach each problem in the manner best calculated to accomplish its speedy and satisfactory solution, they have naturally and properly been leaders, but never dictators, in the conduct of this organization. We cannot afford to lose them and we will not lose them. They are not discharged from service, simply relieved. In the natural course of events others who have been constantly on duty may rightfully expect their relief. Let us hope that it will then be our pleasant privilege to again enlist these three in the work for which they are so eminently qualified. In the meantime, President Wilfley, Mr. Curfman and Mr. Remus, may we not expect your interest in this club to continue unabated? Will you not, when possible, attend our meetings, participate in our discussions and at all times hold counsel with us? If so, our regret upon your retirement from the Board will be mitigated and we can look forward with renewed hope and confidence to the future.

Grateful For Work

I might say, in conclusion, that we are all deeply grateful for the work which you have done. We appreciate the sacrifices which you have done, the serious efforts which you have expended and the public spirit which you have shown. In the very nature of things there can be no adequate compensation for such service. The most that we can do is to assure you that we will "carry-on" and this we do by now declaring that, laying aside all manner and form of personal prejudice and petty strife, we as members of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce will labor in harmony for the ideals which you have established to the end that your work may not fail.

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